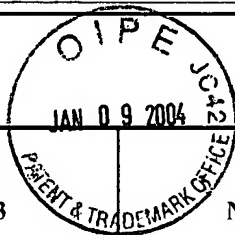


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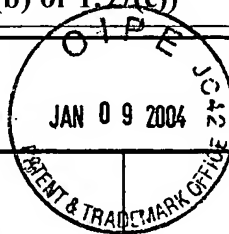
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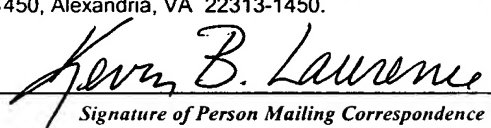
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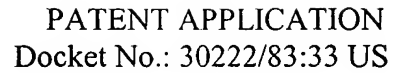
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- ☒ Copies of listed documents are enclosed. (37 CFR § 1.98(a))

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2. ☐ The Examiner's attention is directed to the enclosed copy of copending U.S. Patent Application No. \_\_\_\_\_, filed \_\_\_\_\_, for \_\_\_\_\_, which is cited in this application.

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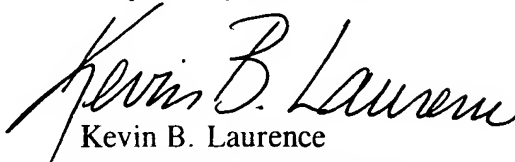
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5. ☐ A concise explanation of the relevance of each document not in the English language and/or selected documents in the English language is set forth below.

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